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SUBJECT: ROK NUCLEAR REPROCESSING

REF: SEOUL 9961

VICE FOREIGN MINISTER LHO SHIN-YOUNG CALLED AFTERNOON DECEMBER 30 TO SAY HE HAD JUST CALLED IN FRENCH AMBASSADOR TO INFORM HIM THAT "FOR TIME BEING ROKG WILL POSTPONE OR RESERVE ACTION WITH RESPECT TO REPROCESSING ASPECT OF PURCHASE FRENCH LABORATORY FACILITIES." LHO STRESSED HE HAD MADE IT CLEAR THAT POSTPONEMENT REFERS ONLY TO REPROCESSING FACILITY. HE SAID FRENCH AMBASSADOR DID NOT QUESTION HIM ABOUT LENGTH OF PERIOD IMPLIED BY PHRASE "FOR TIME BEING," NOR DID HE QUESTION REASONS FOR THIS ROKG DECISION.
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